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NEW HIGH SCHOOL MAY BE BUILT IF CITY WILL HELP

School Board Desires Kentucky Avenue Side of Library Lot.

Would Make Excellent Site For Building.

PRESENT ROOMS TOO CROWDED

Congestion in the public schools will be relieved next year by the erection of a separate high school building, with a little assistance of the city, if the plans of the school trustees can be carried out. At present the schools have a floating debt of about \$5,000 and it is hoped to wipe this out during the year, as last year the debt was reduced \$6,000.

It is proposed to build the new high school on the rear of the lot occupied by the public library. The city owns the lot from Broadway to Kentucky avenue and there is plenty of room on the Kentucky avenue side of the lot for a handsome high school building. The site would not cost anything, while the building would be located in the heart of the city, reached easily from any section. The library is located conveniently so that it would be of greater service to the schools. Besides the school would do much to raise the value of property on Kentucky avenue and better conditions.

The present high school building would be given over to the grades, and the congestion at the building relieved as well as at all of the other buildings. At present the high school as it has been outgrown by the city. The benefits of a separate high school building would be many.

New Heating Plant.

In order that the congestion may be relieved the city will be asked to install a heating plant in the Franklin school. Stoves are used at present, but the system is antiquated, besides being expensive, and the best results in heating are not obtained. The cost will not be excessive, but the school money will have to be used economically this year in order to pay off the floating debt and prepare for the erection of a new high school. It is believed that the plan will take with the people, and the city may assist the board in helping the board better the schools.

New buildings are needed now, and it has been proposed to build a school in the outskirts, but by building a new high school and giving it over for the benefit of the grades a building further out would be necessary for some time.

Judge J. C. Speight.

Hon. J. C. Speight, of Mayfield, is on the bench at Wickliffe as circuit judge. Circuit Judge R. J. Hugg is ill and as he was unable to preside, Mr. Speight was selected to hold the court.

WILL INSTRUCT PATRONS. IN USE OF GAS STOVES.

In order to instruct the patrons as to the proper use of gas stoves, Miss L. E. Parton arrived last night and will make a visit to the homes of every user of gas in the city. Miss Parton is familiar with every detail of the construction of a gas stove, and teaches the consumer how to obtain the best results from cooking with gas. She was brought to Paducah by the Paducah Gas company, and will remain until the city has been covered.

ARTHUR RITCHIE DIES AT HOME ON MILL STREET.

Mr. Arthur Ritchie, 66 years old, died at 11:25 o'clock this morning at his home on Mill street in Mechanicsburg. He was a native of this state and by trade was a gasoline boat builder. The cause of his death was uremia with which he had been suffering for seven days. He leaves a wife and two sons, all of this city. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning and burial at Oak Grove cemetery.

John McCune, Jr., infant of Mr. and Mrs. John McCune, of 1105 Clay street, died this morning of pneumonia. The funeral was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock and burial at Oak Grove cemetery.

Chicago Market.

May	High	Low	Close
Wheat	1.14 1/4	1.13 1/4	1.14
Corn	.68 1/4	.68 1/4	.68 1/4
Oats	.48 1/4	.47 1/4	.47 1/4
Provisions	22.00	21.90	21.92
Lard	12.12	12.05	12.07
Ribs	11.57	11.52	11.52

Chief Forester Pinchot Says He Has No Comment to Make at Present on Removal by Taft

Reasons For President's Action Are Set Forth in Letter, After Meeting of Cabinet.

Washington, Jan. 8.—"I have nothing to say yet," was the only statement Forester Pinchot would make today when asked to discuss his removal. He received numerous telegrams of regret over his removal, and of congratulations on the stand he has taken. Many employees of the forest service lined up to greet him on his arrival at the office. The possibility was suggested that Pinchot may assume the role of prosecutor before the congressional investigation. It is expected he will introduce testimony to back up the statement in his letter to Delivered that President Taft was mistaken in his conclusions regarding the Glavis charges. George P. McCabe, solicitor for the department of agriculture, is in charge of the forest service, pending the arrival of A. F. Potter, acting forester.

Insurgents Win Point.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Supported by the Democrats, the house insurgents succeeded in having the Ballinger-Pinchot resolution of inquiry amended as to require that the appointment of the investigating committee shall be made by the house, and not by the speaker. The vote was 149 to 146.

The Fitzgerald amendment eliminating the forestry service from the proposed investigation was lost by a vote of 65 to 26. Mr. Fitzgerald's amendment was based on the contention that the inclusion of the forestry bureau in the inquiry is unnecessary, because there were no charges against the head of that bureau. An agreement to limit debate to three hours, with the privilege of offering amendments, was reached, and the discussion immediately opened.

Pinchot Removed.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Gifford Pinchot was last night removed from his office as forester by President Taft. In doing this the president gave out a copy of a letter he had written to Mr. Pinchot, in which he says in conclusion:

"If your conduct you have destroyed your usefulness as a helpful subordinate of the government and it therefore now becomes my duty to direct the secretary of agriculture to remove you from your office as forester."

It developed at the cabinet meeting that Pinchot wrote the famous letter to Senator Delivered at his own volition and against the direct advice of his superior, the secretary of agriculture.

It also appeared that Pinchot induced Senator Delivered in advance to have the letter read at the same time the president's message exonerating Secretary Ballinger, through a report of the attorney-general, should be presented.

Wilson Advised Against It. President Taft's letter to Forester Pinchot, informing him of his dismissal, follows:

"The White House, Washington, D. C., Jan. 7, 1910.
"Sir: The secretary of agriculture informs me that on the 28th of De-

John D. vs. W. S.

New York, Jan. 8.—Handicapped by the small sum allowed for the investigation, John Rockefeller, Jr., foreman of the white slave jury, announced he will go into his pocket for funds to push the work.

Remember your associate forester, Mr. Price, went to him and proposed to resign, on the ground that he had been engaged by Mr. Shaw, assistant law officer, in investigating the publication in various newspapers and magazines attacking the good name of Secretary Ballinger and charging the interior department and the land office with corruption.

"The secretary thereupon wrote a note to you, under date of December 29, asking for your recommendation in the premises. You did not answer, but on January 4 you had a conversation with him, in which you said you wished to make a statement which should be read in the senate at the same time that my message transmitting the record in the Glavis case reached there, and that you thought you could induce Senator Delivered to introduce the statement for you.

"The secretary advised against such a course, but asked you for a recommendation as to accepting Pinchot's resignation, in order that he might bring the matter to me, to whom, he told you, it must ultimately come, because I had considered the Glavis charges and had passed upon them.

"Gravamen of Glavis Charges. Without further conference with the secretary, and before making a report to him, you succeeded in making public, by having it read in the senate, a letter from you stating that you had sufficiently disciplined

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BUSINESS THIS WEEK EXCELLENT

COUNTER BUSINESS AT BANKS ABOVE AVERAGE—CUT SALES BEGIN.

Bank clearings this week were \$786,348.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather the past week, it has been an active one in business circles. Counter business with the banks has been above the average.

The clothing stores and dry goods establishments inaugurated their usual semi-annual clearance sales and they were well timed.

Wholesalers report a little dullness, due to the weather conditions, and manufacturers are quite busy with good bookings for future business.

The coal dealers have had a busy week and the mines report more orders than they can get out, with the present car shortage.

Alderman Hannan is For the City's Interest

President Ed Hannan, of the board of aldermen, apparently does not agree with the News-Democrat's statement that "Alderman Parley has succeeded in tearing down the splendid harmony that has existed between Mayor Smith and the Democratic councilmen. From now on the administration and the council will be at loggerheads." Speaking of President Hannan's re-election, the News-Democrat said it means "tying the hands of Mayor Smith for one year, at least, and probably two."

When interviewed this morning by a reporter for The Evening Sun, President Hannan said:

"I am interested in the welfare of the city, just the same as any other citizen, and I would be a fool, if I allowed politics to stand in the way of the city's interests. I have always co-operated in what I thought was best for the city's interests, and I shall continue to do so. Politics comes where the public welfare is concerned.

"The organization of the board is a different matter. There I stand with my party. If the Republican members report three Republicans on their committees, I will appoint three Democrats on mine. If they put on two Republicans and one Democrat, I will put two Democrats

and one Republican on each committee. It is up to the Republicans. But, recurring to the public business, you may say that I positively decline to mix the public business and politics."

M. W. SELF DIES AND IS TO BE BURIED AT MURRAY

Mr. M. W. Self, 28 years old, a widower, living on the Pool road in Little's addition, died last night at 9:30 o'clock after a lingering illness of consumption. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Self, and a brother living at Mayfield. The body will be sent to Murray, his birthplace, tomorrow morning, where the funeral and burial will be held.

A Comparison of the Circulation of The Sun for Two Years

December, 1907 average .3819
December, 1908 average .5126
December, 1909 average .6306

This is the largest circulation west of Louisville.

COAL SHORTAGE WILL CONTINUE ALL NEXT WEEK

Local Supply Has Been Sold Out by the Retail Dealers.

Mines Cannot Keep up With the Demand.

EFFECT ON THE FACTORIES

Paducah is face to face with a coal famine. This condition will last for a week according to the retail coal dealers, who say they will not be able to get further shipments before that time. With the famine the price is expected to advance also.

All over the country there is a coal shortage, and the mines have been unable to supply the demand, while the railroads have been unable to move the loaded cars because of the blocked traffic. The snow has stopped work at many mines. Practically every dealer in city is out of coal, and is unable to get in enough coal to supply the demands. One dealer this morning said: "We have several cars on our tracks now, but the coal is all sold, and we are delivering it as fast as possible. Since yesterday afternoon we have refused several hundred orders simply because we could not fill them. I believe that it will be at least a week before another supply of coal adequate to the needs will be received by the dealers."

Coal is retailing in the city for 10 and 11 cents a bushel now, and the dealers unhesitatingly say that the price will be boosted in Paducah. They say the coal is being sold to dealers in other cities because higher prices are paid.

Chicago Coal Supply.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Despite efforts of railroads to rush the coal supply of Chicago, the situation today is grave. Thousands have been thrown out of work because the factories are forced to suspend. Supplies for heating residences are short, and dealers are down to the last of the stock. Unless traffic conditions are soon improved, there will be genuine suffering over the whole city. In the poorer districts now the suffering is intense. Charitable organizations have doubled the force they are working.

Will Not Affect Schools.

The shortage will not affect the schools, as the Gardner Coal company, which has the contract, has received several cars of coal for the schools, and it will be distributed at the buildings. Neither will the Paducah Traction company, unless the shortage holds for considerable time. Mr. H. H. Sewall today said that the company had a good supply on hand, and had received news that a shipment was making good progress down the Ohio river. If the weather moderates during the next few days the gorges will break and heavy shipments will be brought down the river from Pittsburgh.

Many of the factories are running with short forces during the cold weather, and do not require as much coal as in good weather. However, the majority of people are optimistic, and believe that the weather conditions will moderate so that the coal shortage may be relieved.

Enjoyer Themselves.

Bozeman, Mont., Jan. 8.—The west-bound Northern Pacific train stalled in a blizzard four days, began going this morning. Eight passed and five more are due this afternoon. Though the experience was trying, the passengers suffered no hardships. Eggs, butter, milk, and poultry of neighborhood farmers helped the dining cars. Travelers on various trains exchanged visits. Last night those on one train gave a vaudeville, inviting the passengers of other trains, many of the latter taking part in the performance.

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Horse Thief Gets Away WITH FINE BLACK HORSE.

A telephone message was received by the police today from Lovelaceville asking them to look out for a black horse which was stolen from there last night. The horse is 16 hands high with a white star on his forehead and white on his nose. This added to numerous horse thefts near there in the past few months and the thief is believed to be headed toward Paducah.

Basketball Player Dies.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 8.—Guy Lyons, 17 years old, died of valvular disease of the heart, aggravated by exertion in the high school basketball championship game yesterday.

Premier Asquith Overshadowed by Figure of Lloyd-George, Author of the Now Famous British Budget

Times Accuses Latter of Deliberately Inflaming Minds of People—One of the Peers Kidnaped.

London, Jan. 8.—Public obliteration of Premier Asquith as the result of antagonisms aroused by the present election campaign, is being predicted by almost as many Liberals of which party Asquith is the head, as Conservatives. The opinion is growing that Lloyd-George, author of the famous budget, is the greatest power of the Liberal party, and will succeed Asquith if the Liberals win the election. The Times accuses Asquith of the responsibility of the demonstrations of violence, but says Lloyd-George is guilty of deliberate, inflaming the passions of the people and encouraging ruffianism. One man was killed and a number seriously injured in the crush around the town hall of St. George's in the east end last night.

RIGHT IS LIVELY FOR PHYSICIAN

Several suggested to doctor the county indigent.

The fight for the appointment of county physician has begun already, and so far there are three candidates in the field. The election will not be held until the April session. Dr. L. E. Young, who is filing his second term, is a candidate for re-election and is considered as being a factor in the race. Dr. O. R. Kidd is mentioned as a candidate and also Dr. H. F. Williamson. All are young men, and before the election a real earnest fight is expected.

The job of poor house commissioner is vacant as the term of Magistrate F. F. Gholson has expired. The job pays only a small salary, and usually a magistrate is elected to fill the place.

G. R. Broadfoot Now Constable.

Former Magistrate G. R. Broadfoot has qualified as a constable, and will serve papers during the rush season in the magistrates' courts. Mr. Broadfoot was defeated at the recent election by a close vote.

Vardaman Leads.

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 8.—The result of the ballot in the senatorial caucus last night was as follows: Vardaman, 71; Alexander, 24; Anderson, 21; Percy, 21; Kyle, 14; Byrd, 12; Critz, 3; Truly, 1; Longino, 1. Necessary to a choice, 86.

REVOLUTION PLANNED AGAINST GUATEMALA.

Mexico City, Jan. 8.—It is reported among Central Americans that a plot is afoot to begin a revolution in Guatemala. It is alleged General Toledo, who held Greytown a long time for Estrada, has been asked to take command of the army of the new Guatemalans will raise, and move against President Cabrera. The move may be put under way. It is said, as soon as it appears Estrada will win his fight in Nicaragua. The revolutionists expect the sympathy of Mexico, where Toledo formerly resided.

TELEPHONE SOLD TO UNKNOWN BUYER

HOME COMPANY'S RECEIVERSHIP IS ENDED, MANAGER SAYS.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 8.—Judge Evans, in federal court, ordered the sale of the Paducah Home Telephone company and the Kentucky-Indiana Telephone and Telegraph company to satisfy creditors. J. D. Powers was appointed special commissioner and will appoint the time of the sales. The mortgage indebtedness of the Paducah company is \$250,000 and of the Owensboro company \$162,000.

This dispatch from Louisville appears to be belated, as Manager S. L. Take stated this morning that the receivership has been discharged and the property was sold. It did not go into the deal by which the American Telephone and Telegraph company secured control of the Independent combine, but Manager Take said he is not at liberty to say who bought the company.

THE REV. WM. GROTHOR HAS FLATTERING CALL

The Rev. William Grothor, pastor of the German Lutheran church, received a call this morning to the St. Mark's English Lutheran church, Sheboygan, Wis. This is one of the largest Lutheran churches in the United States and Rev. Mr. Grothor feels justly proud of the honor conferred on him. At the regular business meeting of the Lutheran church tomorrow afternoon the congregation will act on his resignation. The Rev. William Grothor has pastored the Lutheran church in Paducah for about two years and during that time the church membership greatly increased.

EARTHQUAKE.

Rome, Jan. 8.—Two severe earthquake shocks with heavy damage at Gallena in Calabria, and of unusual duration, threw the inhabitants into a panic. It is feared there has been loss of life.

TWO INDICTMENTS AGAINST SMEDLEY SET FOR TUESDAY

Will be Tried in Circuit Court For Forging Lightfoot's Name.

Suit For Divorce Filed With Clerk Today.

ELIGIBILITY OF SUPERVISORS.

Two indictments, charging Hiram Smedley, former county court clerk, with forgery will be tried in circuit court next Wednesday. One of the indictments charges that he forged the name of Former County Judge H. T. Lightfoot to a county warrant for \$65 and passed it on J. O. Gardner, while the second indictment charges that he obtained \$25 by the same means.

Frank Campbell, colored, was given two years in the penitentiary on the charge of breaking into a store room. He broke into the store of Jim Bulger.

Joe Murray was given one month in the county jail on the charge of petit larceny. He stole a bundle of clothes from R. E. L. Moshell.

Pete Caporal was fined \$15 for a breach of peace.

The time of the grand jury was extended through next week.

C. C. Raper was excused as a petit juror and A. Burkhart was empaneled.

The following cases were set for next week: Alexander Travis, malicious cutting, and H. J. Filippo, Tuesday.

Suits Filed in Circuit Court.

Mrs. N. T. Chumler filed suit for divorce from her husband, C. T. Chumler. The couple was married December 1, 1886, and separated April, 1909. She alleges that he owns property to the value of \$3,000 and owes for \$1,500 as alimony. The couple resided near Marshall county.

Eligibility of Supervisors.

Since charges are made that George Emery is not eligible to act as city supervisor, and that Ed U. Boone, by reason of acting as county court clerk and supervisor at the same time, disqualified himself, suit is being prepared to test the question in the circuit court. Injunction proceedings will be filed Monday by City Solicitor Campbell with Mr. George McCandless as nominal plaintiff. The hearing probably will be Monday or Tuesday.

Bennett Gets First Blood.

In the case of J. B. Walmore against Green Bennett, the Seventh district magisterial contest, Bennett won in the circuit court this morning, but Walmore will appeal.

FEAR OF BLACKHANDERS IS FELT BY ITALIANS.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 8.—A heavy police guard will march on either side of the hearse and mourners' carriage to the funeral tomorrow of Benedetto Cienna, the rich Italian, murdered by the black hand. They fear an attack on his son, liberated for one day from the penitentiary, where he is serving 25 years for manslaughter. Thousands will march, making it the biggest funeral Chicago's Italy ever saw. Fearing black handers will steal the body, the widow will place it in a steel vault.

HODGE STEMMERY WILL OPEN MONDAY

The Hodge Tobacco stemmery, at Ninth and Harrison streets, will open for business Monday with a force of about 250. This is one of the most complete tobacco warehouses in the state and was only recently completed. Mr. W. G. Hodge, of Henderson, will be in charge.

ALSO DEATH OF HIRAM HEDGES WILL BE INVESTIGATED.

Covington, Ky., Jan. 8. (Special.)—Suit will be brought in a few days in the United States circuit court of Cincinnati to dissolve the Burley Tobacco society by the federal officials on the ground that it violates the Sherman anti-trust law. Witnesses will be brought from many states and efforts also will be made to show who killed Hiram Hedges and furnish a case for the Nicholas circuit court.

BURLEY SOCIETY PROBE IS COMING

Also death of Hiram Hedges will be investigated.

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The Weather

Forecast for Paducah and vicinity: Fair and warmer tonight and Sunday. The lowest and highest temperatures today were 7 and 33 degrees.

The Week In Society.

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To be earnest; to be strong;
To make right with song;
Slow to anger; quick to praise;
Walking steadfast through the days;
Firm of purpose, sure of soul,
Pressing onward to the goal,
Upright, even, undismayed,
Sure, serene and unafraid.

To be patient; to be kind;
To be purposeful, and find
Sweetness all along the way;
Loath to judge, but firm to say
Truth with unrelenting tongue;
By no evil word or wrong
From the right; and to endure
Honest, helpful, clean, and pure.

To be gentle, to be true;
True to life and glad to live;
To be watchful and to be
Kind with boundless charity;
To be humble in success,
Strong of heart in bitterness,
Tender, kind, thoughtful, good
In our manhood and womanhood.

To be smiling, to be glad
For the yesterday we have had;
To be cheerful all the way
For the to-morrow that is today;
To be hopeful and to see
In the dawn that is to be,
Happier, better, brighter things,
Hopes of purple crown of kings.

—N. D. Hambrick, in Collier's.

SOCIAL AND CLUB CALENDAR.

THURSDAY—The Paducah club will meet in regular weekly session at 10 a. m. in the ladies' room at the Commercial Hotel. The program is:

1. War of the Roses. Henry VI.

—Miss Rieke.

2. Edward IV and Warwick, the

Kingmaker—Mrs. Louis M. Rieke.

3. Court Life in "Merrie Eng-

land" in the Fifteenth Century. Art

of Printing—Mrs. James A. Rieke.

Reading: Henry VI—Act II, scene

1, verse 34.

THURSDAY—Mrs. Charles De

Werthen is hostess to the Epiphany

club at 2:30 p. m. at her home, 512

Clark street.

THURSDAY—Mr. and Mrs. George

H. Exall's dance for their young

guests, Mrs. Julia Shubert and Miss

Lillian McTavoy, of Columbia,

Tenn., at the Three Links building.

WEDNESDAY—The Literature

department of the Woman's club will

have its first meeting since the ad-

justment for the holidays at 10

a. m. in the upstairs committee room

at the club house. All the members

are urged to be present. The pro-

gram is an interesting one as fol-

lows:

1. Louis M. Abbott—Mrs. Arch

Sutherland.

Palmer Cox—Mrs. Muscoe Bur-

nell.

Mary Maas Dodge—Mrs. C. E.

Pureell.

WEDNESDAY—The Matinee Mus-

ical club will meet at 3 p. m. at the

Woman's club house. Mrs. C. H. H.

Hood is the leader for the afternoon.

The program will be delightfully

varied as follows:

1. Current Events.

(a) Elroy (Ereby). (b) Reveler

(Voxscape)—Mr. William Deal.

3. Vocal Duet "Venus" (Victor

Harris)—Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Gray.

4. Piano solo, selected from "A

Day in Tuscany" (Nevin)—Miss

Jennie Gilligan.

5. "The Art of the Interpreter,"

Paper by Miss Newell.

6. "Love's Epitome," a cycle of

songs for contralto—Mrs. James

Welle. (a) "Since First I Met

Thee." (b) "In the Garden." (c)

"She Is Mine." (d) "Dear Hand,

Close Held in Mine." (e) "Requiem."

7. Piano solo (a) "If I Were a

Bird I'd Fly to Thee" (Henselt).

(b) "La Filleuse" (Haff)—Mrs.

George B. Hart.

THURSDAY—Mrs. Saunders A.

Fowler is the hostess to the Magazine

club at 2:30 p. m. at her home,

Edgewood, in the West End. The

magazines to be reported are:

Harpers by Mrs. George Lang-

staff, Jr., and Mrs. Vernon Hylthe.

Atlantic Monthly by Mrs. Roy Mc-

Kinney.

Literary Digest by Mrs. Victor

Vorse.

Cosmopolitan by Mrs. Armour

Gardner.

FRIDAY—The Katoephe club

will meet at 10 a. m. at the Woman's

club building. The program will in-

clude:

1. Montaigne, Rabelais, Francis

de Malherbe—Mrs. W. F. Bradshaw,

Jr.

2. "Charmante Gabrielle"—Mrs.

John Brooks, Jr.

3. Henriette de Balzac—D' En-

tragues—Mrs. Andrew Campbell.

4. Current Events—Miss May

Owen.

FRIDAY—The Riverside Hospital

League will have a Miscellaneous

Show for the benefit of the hospital

at the home of Mrs. C. E. Pureell,

321 North Fifth street, from 2:30 to

5 o'clock p. m.

SATURDAY—The Art department

of the Woman's club will have a de-

partmental meeting at 10 a. m. in

the club house. The study of Dutch

art will be inaugurated by the genre

painters:

Francis Hals, founder, 1581-1666—

Miss Gibson.

Gerard Dow, 1617-1681; his life

—Mrs. R. T. Lightfoot.

Gerard Dow's Pictures—Mrs. Ed-

win Rivers.

Grace Church Parish Supper.

The annual Parish Supper for the

congregation of Grace Episcopal

church will take place on Thursday

evening at 6:30 o'clock at the parish

house. An attractive and informal

entertainment will follow the supper.

The members of the congregation are

invited to be present. These annual

suppers are enjoyed by the parish

members and always eagerly an-

ticipated from year to year.

Allen-Boulware Wedding on Tuesday

The marriage of Miss Irene Allen

and Mr. John Philip Boulware will

take place on Tuesday afternoon at

1 o'clock at the home of the bride's

mother, Mrs. Mary O. Allen, 514

North Fourth street. It will be a

quiet home event with only relatives

and intimate friends present. The

Rev. Grant T. Sullivan, of the Broad-

way Methodist church, will pro-

nounce the sacrament. The couple

will leave at 4:15 o'clock on a wed-

ding journey.

Miss Allen belongs to an old and

prominent family. Her grandfather,

Mr. William Lang, was one of the

pioneer citizens of Paducah, coming

from Virginia. Her father, the late

Mr. William Allen, was for years a

leading citizen. She is a pretty and

winsome girl of gracious manner and

attractive personality and has a wide

circle of friends here.

Mr. Boulware is a man of much

popularity. He has been connected

with the George Rock shoe firm for a

number of years and is a capable

man with a large business and social

acquaintance. He has made his home

in Paducah for eight years coming

from Hopkinsville. He is a brother

of Mr. Logan Boulware, of Paducah.

Salt Lake Wedding of Interest Here

The Salt Lake Tribune makes the

following notice of a recent wedding

in that city that has decided inter-

ested in marriage. The Rev. J. H.

Thibault, superintendent of the Meth-

odist Missions in Utah, officiating,

the minister reading the Episcopal

ring service. The wedding was a

quiet one, only the relations and

about 25 intimate friends of the con-

tracting parties being present. The

pretty home of Mrs. Leigh was de-

corated in Christmas greens. The

bride was becomingly gowned in an

olive green tailored suit with chiffon

waist of the same shade. Her hair

was green with a touch of old rose.

Miss Loreen Leary played the wed-

ding march from Lohengrin for the

bridal procession. Mrs. Leigh

served a beautifully appointed

luncheon after the ceremony. The

table had a center-piece of pink car-

nations attractively arranged. The

newly-married couple received a

number of handsome and useful

presents any many telegrams of

congratulations. The couple left for

a brief trip north and on their return

will be at home to their friends at

the hotel.

Missionary Tea.

The Woman's Auxiliary of Grace

Episcopal church had its Missionary

Tea for January on Friday after-

noon in the parlor of the parish

house. Melanesia, one of the South

Sea Islands was discussed in a most

interesting way. Mrs. William

Brumard gave an introductory ac-

count of the island and its status

previous to the introduction of

Christianity. Mrs. Clarence Milam

told of the coming of Bishop

Patterson and Selwyn and their

work in the island. Mrs. Joseph

Gardner gave a comprehensive sum-

mary of the result of Christianity at

the present day. Mrs. David Cady

Wright was the hostess for the

afternoon.

Dance at Elks' Home.

Between forty and fifty couples

spent an enjoyable evening last night

as guests of the Elks at a dance given

at the club house on North Fifth

street. Excellent music was furnished

by a colored orchestra. Delightful

refreshments were served during the

evening. The series of dances given

during the winter by the Elks have

been delightful social events and last

evening's affair was a promising

augury for 1910.

Trials of the Chaperon.

Miss Mary Snodgrass, who has been

a cheerful and tireless chaperon for

her young friends for the past five

years, wishes to give notice that she

will no longer serve. She has

been ill with her health by staying out

when she should have been in bed,

has never received any pay and has

been compelled to give more wed-

ding presents than any one else in

town. In addition, parents abused

her for staying at parties so late, and

her charges called her a crank for

going home so early. Those who ob-

tained partners for life while under

her care abuse her for their disap-

pointments, and those who are still

single and growing old talk of the

men they might have had if it had

not been for her mean interference.

For five years Miss Snodgrass has

been constantly in society, but she has

led a dog's life and has resolved to

quit.—From the Atchison Globe.

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A NEW YEAR SONG.

When the year is new, my dear,
When the year is new,
Let us make a promise here,
Little I and you,
Not to fall a-quarrelling
Over every tiny thing,
But sing and smile, smile and sing,
All the glad year through.

As the year goes by, my dear,
As the year goes by,
Let us keep our sky swept clear,
Little you and I,
Sweep up every cloudy scowl,
Every little thunder-growl,
And live and laugh, laugh and live,
Neath a cloudless sky.

When the year is old, my dear,
When the year is old,
Let us never doubt or fear,
Though the days grow cold,
Loving thoughts are always warm;
Merry hearts know ne'er a storm,
Come lee and snow, so love's dear
glow

Turn all our gray to gold.

—Exchange.

To Make a Million by Marriage.

In Winchell Smith's comedy of
American life, "The Fortune Hunter,"
the hero,

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 8.

Daily Thought.

Little things are little things, but faithfulness in little things is something great.—St. Augustine.

We hereby solemnly admit that there is a Pinchot-Ballinger controversy.

We have enjoyed an old fashioned winter; now we shall enjoy an old fashioned thaw.

It is a source of no small pride to observe the value placed upon a residence in Kentucky by those the night riders drove out.

The bill of Senator Smith, of Barren, to abolish the racing commission, will please those legislators who voted for it, thinking it would be unconstitutional. The decision of the court of appeals upholding it, puts the matter in a different light to some of them.

OFF WITH THE OLD, ON WITH THE NEW

County Judge Alben W. Barkley is making a good start, and prospects are that he will have the support of an intelligent and loyal fiscal court. For this latter aid he may thank The Evening Sun. The judge's recommendations, as published in full in The Evening Sun yesterday, indicate a thorough grasp of the county business and an intimate acquaintance with the public needs. If the court is to carry out his suggestions about an investigation of county institutions, we urge upon it the advisability of making an immediate and thorough investigation of the county almshouse. Conditions there shown by the report of Mrs. Crane to the state board of health, and conducted out there more recently brought to light, suggest a lack of proper management, to say the least. If the present management is allowed to continue to the end of the term without such an investigation, it may be necessary to reveal some unpleasant facts, that will reflect quite as much on those responsible for allowing him to remain as on the management itself. We understand that, since complaint has been made, an employee guilty of the most atrocious indecency, has been discharged; but that is not sufficient.

FROM ALDERMAN HANNAN'S SCRAP BOOK.

The public, and especially that portion of Democratic faith, is finding cause for considerable wonder over the action of President Ed. Hannan in appointing on the finance committee two Republicans and one Democrat from the aldermanic board. Mr. Hannan was elected as alderman on the Democratic ticket, but his every official act has been favorable to those of opposite political faith.—News-Democrat, January 31, 1909.

As an illustration of his (President Hannan's) fairness, there were only two Republican members on the last board of aldermen, and they with one Democrat, were appointed members of every important committee, so they would be unable to say they had been slighted in the least.—News-Democrat, January 8, 1910.

So much for the fairness and honesty with which the News-Democrat approaches any subject which touches it vitally. When that first criticism was written the publishers of the News-Democrat were of the opinion that the finance committee had something to do with depositing the city sinking fund. They afterward learned to their regret that it was Alderman Hannan himself who had somewhat to do with it.

Now, it serves the turn of one of their intimates to prove that the Republican aldermen, who compose half the upper board, did very wrong in insisting that their Democratic colleagues divide up with them. Perhaps, the News-Democrat publishers had forgotten—they are so forgetful—but we suspect Alderman Hannan of keeping a scrap book. That is why the Republican aldermen thought it discreet to stand on their rights, and save President Hannan the humiliation of either doing something or provoking further abuse from his organ.

THE TRUMP HAND.

Most of the common games of skill, two are important to consider: how many you hold, and who has the lead. You cannot overlook the challenge that found in every paragraph of this morning's report of yesterday's aldermanic session, as said, "has succeeded in tying the Mayor Smith for one year, at least,

and probably two." This comes on top of the threat of a Democratic alderman that, if there was a Republican chairman of the finance committee, President Foreman, of the board of councilmen, would appoint three partisan Democrats, tie up the committee and block all the administration's policies. President Foreman has had since last Monday in which to name his committees, and has not yet done so. This is what they call "playing politics."

It might be well to go back to the shuffling and the deal to understand the situation. Every Republican candidate for alderman was elected at the last election and a majority of the Republican candidates for councilmen, and all but one of these Republican aldermen were re-elected to the general council, thus showing that the people were satisfied with the Republican administration, and gave heed to The Evening Sun's appeal for a general council in sympathy with the administration. How necessary this was is proven by the News-Democrat's threats. These Republicans compose half the board of aldermen. They have just as much right to the offices and committees as the four Democrats, who might or might not have been re-elected had they gone before the people last fall. The administration being Republican, the Republican aldermen desired a Republican chairman of the finance committee more than they did the presidency of the board. President Hannan had never appointed a Republican chairman of that committee. So the Republicans proposed an exchange of courtesies, and it was accepted to by the Democratic aldermen. Is there anything in that, at which the Democrats could take umbrage?

The only Democrat, who could possibly feel aggrieved would be Chairman Lackey of the finance committee, who has made an excellent chairman; but there was nothing personal in the matter, and we would be greatly disappointed in our estimate of Alderman Lackey's calibre if he should let personal pique mar a public record so meritorious thus far, and so full of promise. As for the threat of the News-Democrat and its pig-brained political allies that they will "play politics" and interfere with every plan for the welfare of the city, in the name of the good citizens of Paducah The Evening Sun takes up the challenge and defies them to try it. Is it a thing so rare as to merit a boast, that Democratic officials have for two years had sufficient regard for their oaths of office that they aided a Republican mayor in benefitting the city? Is it such a remarkable boon conferred upon a Republican administration that they did not "play politics" and block all its plans for the public good? Did the councilmen promise their constituents that as soon as they entered office they would set about preventing the use of public funds for public works and the best management of municipal affairs, in order to spite their political enemies? Or did they promise that they would co-operate in good works? If they promised to do their duty, will they do it, or are they dishonest, as the News-Democrat would have them to be? We don't believe we have enough of that kind of men in the general council to interfere with the city's welfare.

As far as keeping hands off politics is concerned, in the appointment of the seven or eight officers, which lies within the authority of the general council, every Republican was made to walk the plank, including men recommended by Democratic executive boards for their faithfulness. Mayor Smith has the appointment of some sixty officers, and nearly all of them are Democrats, reappointed by a Republican board. Let the Democratic legislative department go to the deck again and match that, before they talk about "playing politics." That is a handful of trumps in this game.

Now—if the general council blocks legislation, and President Foreman arbitrarily refuses to appoint his committees in order to dominate them for partisan purposes, they will not injure the Republican aldermen, but they will injure the city and mar the administration of Mayor Smith to a certain extent. We have approved Mayor Smith's conduct in following a non-partisan merit system in his appointments; but if the suggestion of the News-Democrat is carried out and the general council undertakes to "play politics" in the name of the Democratic party; then, in the name of the good people of Paducah, The Evening Sun will call upon Mayor Smith to lead back trumps and discharge every Democrat, who now holds office under the executive department of the city.

The people of Paducah are watching the conduct of the general council. As President Hannan remarked at the final session of the last board of aldermen, more was done in 1908 in Paducah than in any one preceding year, and the general council claimed its fair share of the glory. It will bear the blame if this year does not match last year. These same councilmen and aldermen will be up for re-election next year, and the people will be called upon to cast out the unfaithful. In another year candidates for mayor will be nominated, and the people will not elevate to the executive chair, a man, who proved himself too small for a councilman or alderman.

KENTUCKY KERNELS.

Baby of Sam Wright, at Fulton, seriously ill. New \$50,000 opera house to be built at Glasgow.
Livery barn of J. Lineman, at Cynthia, burns.
State University to ask general assembly for \$75,000.
Miss Maggie Rich and George F. Kemp, of Barlow, marry.
B. L. Hall and Miss Martha Ruby Pash, Madisonville, marry.
Mrs. J. D. Wraether, formerly of Graves county, dies in Union City.

STATE FORESTRY COMMISSIONERS

PROVIDED FOR BY BILL IN KENTUCKY SENATE.

Will Look After Conserving Timber Wealth of the State.

SENATOR EATON'S MEASURE

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 8.—It was agreed that when the house adjourns it be to meet again Monday at noon.

The annual report of the Covington and Cincinnati bridge company was received and filed.

Senator Conn Linn, of Calloway county, introduced a bill which proposes to increase the salary of circuit judges \$1,200 a year, but which requires them to serve as special judge without the extra \$3 a day that they receive under the present law. The bill applies to all circuit judges except in districts containing cities of the first and second class.

Senator Eaton, of McCracken, introduced a bill to prevent bribery in elections and to enforce Section 1517, Constitution. Requires a candidate to swear that he has not and will not use any money, liquor or other valuable thing to influence or secure his election. It applies to primary elections also.

State Forestry.

Provided the bill introduced in the senate today by Senator C. M. Thompson, of Paris, is enacted into law, Kentucky will have a state board of forestry and reserve, consisting of seven members, the governor, director of the Kentucky experiment station and a state forester, to be appointed by the governor and affirmed by the senate, and four citizens, to be appointed by the governor and the appointments confirmed by the senate. Of the four citizens who first become members of the board, two shall be appointed for two years, the bill provides, and two for four years. All appointments thereafter will be made for four years. The bill carries with it an appropriation of \$20,000 a year.

Other Provisions of Bill.

In this bill it is argued that the state is in dire need of a board such as the one proposed. The governor and director of the Kentucky Experiment station are to be ex-officio members of the proposed board. The bill provides that the state forester, to be appointed by the governor with the approval of the senate, shall furnish bond of \$20,000. He shall have the power to purchase suitable forestry reserve.

The board, under the provisions of the bill, shall have the power to employ a secretary at \$1,500 a year, and a civil engineer and survey when needed. The bill further provides for the appointment of forest wardens.

The four citizens to be named as members of the proposed board, under the provisions of the bill, are to receive \$5 a day for every meeting of the board they attend, not to exceed \$100 a year.

SALOON IS CLOSED TIGHT UNTIL LICENSE GRANTED.

Upon orders from Mayor Smith the saloon of J. L. Jones, 1037 Burnett street, was closed last night until the proprietor makes proper application before the general council and posts notices for a period of 10 days in front of his property. Since the general council granted 74 licenses this week it developed that J. L. Jones was keeping open and had not applied for a license. The application will be considered week after next and in the meantime the place will be under lock and key.

IF IT'S ONLY A HEADACHE.
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NOTICE.
Patrons of the Water Company are reminded that their rents expired December 31st, and those who desire to renew them for this quarter should do so before it is forgotten, as all premises not paid for before January 10th will be shut off.

Duluth, at the head of Lake Superior, has the greatest mineral tonnage of any port in the world.

CIRCULATION DECEMBER, 1909.

1.....6,675	16.....6,744
2.....6,676	17.....6,798
3.....6,676	18.....6,800
4.....6,699	20.....6,798
5.....6,708	21.....6,787
6.....6,711	22.....6,783
7.....6,714	23.....6,773
8.....6,733	24.....6,782
9.....6,755	27.....6,770
10.....6,749	28.....6,770
11.....6,750	29.....6,772
12.....6,747	30.....6,767
13.....6,714	31.....6,767

Total 176,966
Average December, 1909.....6,806
Average December, 1908.....5,146
Average December, 1907.....3,819
On this day appeared before me, R. D. MacMillan, business manager of The Sun, who affirms the above statement is true, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public, McCracken Co., Ky.
My commission expires January 10, 1912.

AT THE CHURCHES

GRACE CHURCH—Rev. D. C. Wright, rector. Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school, Vincent Salvo, superintendent, 9:30. Morning prayer and sermon 10:15. Evening prayer and sermon 7:30.

GOOD SHEPHERD HOUSE—Rev. E. C. McAllister, minister. Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Evening prayer and sermon 7:30. Wednesday night service and address 7:30.

Baptist.

FIRST—The Rev. M. E. Dodd, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching at 10:15 and 7:30. Subject of the morning sermon, "Walking With God." Subject of the evening sermon, "Will You Be Saved?"

NORTH TWELFTH STREET—The Rev. J. H. Clark, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching at 11 o'clock and 6:30. Sunday school at Rowlandtown at 2:30.

Catholic.

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES—The Rev. Father Connelly, pastor. Masses at 8 and 10:30. Sunday school at 2:30. Vespers and benediction at 3 o'clock.

TENTH STREET—The Rev. G. D. Wyatt, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching at 11 and 7:30. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Subject of the morning sermon, "Christ's Appeal to Men." Subject of the evening sermon, "Profit and Loss."

Presbyterian.

KENTUCKY AVENUE—The Rev. E. H. Landis, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching at 10:15 and 7:30. In the morning at 10:15 communion service will be held and the pastor wishes all members to be present. In the evening the regular preaching service will be held.

FIRST—The Rev. H. W. Burwell, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject of morning sermon, "God, the Eternal Comforter and Deliverer." Subject of evening sermon, "The Christian's Duty and Privilege of Sacrifice and Service." Regular prayer meeting service on Wednesday evening.

CIMBERLAND—The Rev. D. W. Fooks, pastor. Morning sermon at 10:15. Text, Genesis xiv, 8 and 9. The Rev. W. S. Wright will preach at night on "Power." Aids 1, 8, Christian Endeavor at 8:30. Sunday school at 10 a. m.

German.

EVANGELICAL—The Rev. William Burpion, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. German service will be held in the morning and English service in the evening.

LUTHERAN—The Rev. William Grother, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching at 10:20. Subject of the morning service, "Enemies of Christ and Their Folly Plans." Subject of the evening sermon, "Where is the New-born King of the Jews?" In the afternoon at 2:30 the regular monthly business meeting will be held.

Christian.

FIRST—The Rev. W. A. Fife, pastor. Subject of the morning sermon, "Casting Out Demons." Mr. E. Clare Harding, director of chorus, will sing "O Thou Pilot of My Soul" in the morning and "Papa Who the Tears Away" in the evening. The Rev. Mr. Fife's sermon in the evening will be "Get Busy" and the origin and meaning of the motto will be explained. Both the songs that Mr. Harding will sing were composed by his brother, Mr. W. A. Harding, of Columbus, Mo. Tomorrow the protracted meeting begins and services will be held every evening next week at 7:30 o'clock.

Methodist.

BROADWAY—The Rev. G. T. Sullivan, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching at 10:15 and 7:30. Subject of the morning sermon, "The Education That Fitted Christ for His Ministry." In the evening Mr. Sullivan will take for his theme the motto of the Bible Class, "I Will Make You Fishers of Men." Special music at both services. The Bible Class will meet at 9:30. Already 75 members have been enrolled and 100 are expected by Sunday morning. The public is cordially invited to attend.

FOUNTAIN AVENUE—The Rev.

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G. W. Banks, pastor. Sunday school at the regular hour. The Rev. Banks is in Memphis today but will return in time to fill his pulpit tomorrow.

SOUTH SIDE—Rev. J. H. Pearson, pastor. Sunday school at Third Street at 10 o'clock. Preaching at 2 and 7:30 at Third Street. The meeting at Third Street continues to grow in interest and already 8 converts have been received.

The Rev. J. H. Pearson will conduct services at the Guthrie Avenue church at 7:30, but services will be held as usual at Third Street church.

Christian Science.
Services at 11 a. m. Subject, "Sacrifice." Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Reading room hours 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. These links building, Fifth street and Kentucky avenue.

Church Notes.
The church of the First Christian

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS' SAVINGS BANK.

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Resources
Loans and discounts with one or more endorsers as surety \$384,205.51
Real estate mortgages 93,032.46
Call loans on collateral 29,197.00
Time loans on collateral 138,682.25
Other stocks, bonds, etc. 43,610.00
Due from state banks and bankers 73,786.37
Due from trust companies 29,398.03
United States and National bank notes 58,569.00
Specie 10,346.20
Checks and other cash items 20,685.98
Overdrafts (secured) 6,078.08
Overdrafts (unsecured) 2,916.87
Taxes 1,120.26
Current expenses paid 5,463.78
Other real estate 23,142.53
Furniture and fixtures 2,775.00
Other assets not included under any of above heads 756.50
Total \$933,796.52

Liabilities
Capital stock paid in, in cash \$100,000.00
Surplus funds 25,000.00
Undivided profits 45,964.62
Deposits subject to check (on which interest is not paid) 320,175.11
Deposits subject to check (on which interest is paid) 60,876.75
Time certificates of deposits (on which interest is paid) 287,560.47
Certified checks 27.00
Due national banks 6,989.24
Due state banks and bankers 70,375.40
Cashier's checks outstanding 28.00
Notes and bills rediscounted 26,800.00
Total \$933,796.52

State of Kentucky, County of McCracken.—Set.
I, W. F. Paxton, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. F. PAXTON, President.

Correct—Attest:
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, 1910.
My commission expires Jan. 10, '12.
PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.

[Seal]
R. RUDY,
GEO. C. WALLACE,
J. A. RUDY,
Directors.

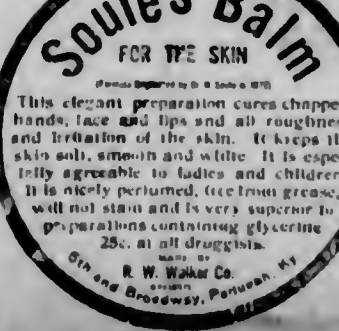
Palmer—C. A. Gill, Columbus, O.; J. H. Kemper, Mt. Sterling; H. C. Albritton, Mayfield; J. A. Baker, Los Angeles; A. S. Stark, New York; Maurice B. Harris, Chicago; Lewis W. Burdett, St. Louis; F. T. Livermore, Dymond.

Bellevue—M. T. Travillion, Quincy; Frank J. Bruckner, Louisville; W. H. Frazee, Murray; F. A. Frashart, Syracuse; Johnnie Jones, Murray; Carl Siller, Chicago; W. H. Ward, Metropolis; Jackson Heale, Murray.

NEW RICHMOND—J. J. Perry, La Center; Sam Solomon, Evansville; M. J. Vick, Paducah; Ben H. Vickers, Hays; C. M. Oliver and wife, Smithland; D. H. Hartley, Chicago; W. D. Sykes, Thorpe, Tenn.; Charles Smith, Metropolis.

HIS LANDLADY SHOT HIM OVER HIS BOARD BILL.
Fayetteville, W. Va., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Minnie Shinkley shot and killed George Crained last night in a dispute over 40 cents due on a board bill. She is held on bond of \$10,000.

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Long Coats at Big Reductions

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\$20.00 Coats	\$15.75
\$18.00 Coats	\$14.75
\$17.00 Coats	\$12.75
\$15.00 Coats	\$11.45
\$12.50 Coats	\$8.05
\$10.00 Coats	\$6.05

At Rudy's

THE LOCAL NEWS

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—Dr. Gilbert, Osteopath, 642 Broadway, Phone 196.
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—Telephone The Sun office for samples and prices of all kinds of typewriter papers.

—In Paducah the people read The Evening Sun. This fact was brought out again by the returning of a shoe to Foreman John Lehnard by a small boy. Last week while answering a fire alarm Lehnard lost his shoe, which fell from the Central hose wagon. Mention was made on it in The Evening Sun, and several days ago a small boy, who found it, returned it to the fire fighter.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Creason, of 1513 North Twelfth street, are the parents of a girl baby, born this morning.

—Mr. George Henley, a farmer residing near Little Cypress, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

—Many roofs on business houses sprung leaks today under the weight of the snow, and laborers found employment in shoveling the snow off the buildings. In the business district there was a large force of men at work cleaning off the snow.

—Mrs. Jack Nelson is ill of grip at the home of her parents in Indiana.

Swindle Conspiracy.

Omaha, Jan. 8.—Judge McPherson this morning overruled the motion of Mahary Marks and eighty or more confederates in the so-called "swindle conspiracy" and set their case for trial March 10, at Council Bluffs.

GET IT

At

Gilbert's Drug Store

Both Phones

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IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Mrs. Laura P. Andrews is quite ill with pneumonia at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Tobie Steger, of South Fifth street.

Mrs. Alex McCarthy will leave tomorrow for Vicksburg, Miss., where she will meet Mr. McCarthy.

Mr. H. H. Loving has returned from Detroit after a trip on business.

Mr. J. A. Bauer, formerly a resident of Paducah but now located in Los Angeles, arrived in the city last night to look after his business interests in the city.

Mr. L. W. Mason, of Mayfield, arrived in the city last night on business.

Mr. H. C. Albritton, of Mayfield, was in the city today.

Miss Mattie Smith, 722 South Sixteenth street, who has been ill for many weeks, is able to be up now.

Mr. Rubie Potter, of Lexington, Tenn., is visiting his parents, Alderman and Mrs. Joe Potter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Holiday and children are visiting relatives in Marion, Ill.

Mr. Lawrence Dillam has returned from Memphis after a trip on business.

State Senator W. V. Eaton will return tonight from Frankfort to spend Sunday in the city.

Mr. E. Clair Harding, who will lead the choir at the revival at the First Christian church, arrived last night from Mexico, Mo.

Miss Marie d'Antigne Allen, of Augusta, Ga., returned home this afternoon after a two weeks' visit to the Misses Morion, at The Shamrock.

Mrs. Henry Burnett returned to Louisville yesterday after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Muscoe Burnett, 2005 Broadway.

Thodore Luttrell, a guard at the Eddyville penitentiary, returned to Eddyville this afternoon, after spending two days in the city on business.

Mr. M. Epstein, formerly of Paducah but now a traveling salesman out of Milwaukee, is in the city on business.

Mrs. Johnson Houser, 421 South Sixth street, is ill of rheumatism.

Mr. J. A. Bauer, of Los Angeles, California, is in the city on business.

Misses Lula and Stella Anderson and Miss Sallie May Watson have returned to Paducah, Ky., after visiting Mrs. W. R. Richardson and Mrs. Herbert King, Nashville, Tenn.

Mr. O. B. Clarke, Sr., has returned from Terre Haute after a trip on business.



A Mother's Care.
Mrs. Bird—Dickey, Dickey: come right off that ice! Don't you see that sign?—Hawking's Magazine.

CENTRAL MILK DEPOT MAY BE ESTABLISHED.

Mr. Houston Crick, a dairyman of the Hepton road, has about completed arrangements for the outfitting of a creamery to be located at Fifth and Tennessee streets. The plan is to purchase milk from all over the county and have it as a depot for the purpose of distributing it over the city. The new plan will be more sanitary, and for several years the board of health has urged the establishment of a creamery.

There is no fence that does not let the wind through.

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CHIEF FORESTER

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Measures Price and Shaw by reprinting them, and that your recommendation would be that no further punishment was required, and this before that recommendation was submitted to the secretary and me, whose power and duty it was to determine, upon Price's admissions as to his complicity, what action should be taken with respect to his resignation.

"In order to understand the full purport of your letter, in which you admit the complicity of Price and Shaw in the publications of the press it should be said that the gravamen of the Glavis charges was that Secretary Hallinger and the other officers were all affected by a corrupt wish to patent thirty-three so-called Cunningham claims upon coal lands in Alaska; that the question whether these claims were fraudulent or not remained to be decided upon the evidence after both the United States and the claimants had been heard; that every patent, as an executive act, is completely within the jurisdiction of the president to direct the withholding of it, in order that he himself may examine the evidence as to the validity of the claim.

That is President.

"These facts understood, the plain intimations in your letter are, first, that I had reached a wrong conclusion as to the good faith of Secretary Hallinger and the officers of the land office, although you and your subordinates had only seen the evidence of Glavis, the accuser, and had never seen or read the evidence of those accused or read the records that they delivered which were submitted to me; and, second, that under these circumstances, without the exploitation by Messrs. Shaw and Price in the daily, weekly and monthly press of the charges of Glavis, the administration, including the president and the officers of the interior department and land office, would have allowed certain fraudulent claims to be patented on coal lands in Alaska, although the matter had been specifically brought to the attention of the president by Glavis' charges.

"You collected the opportunity to make such a declaration in congress for the purpose of offsetting, if possible, in the public mind the president's decision in the Glavis case, supported by the opinion of the attorney general, after a full examination by both of the evidence adduced by the accuser and the evidence in behalf of the accused, while the latter evidence you and your subordinates had never seen.

"You did this against the advice of the secretary of agriculture, without notifying him that you intended to do so, and without conferring with me at all.

Destroyed Own Usefulness.
"Your letter was in effect an improper appeal to congress and the public to excuse in advance the guilt of your subordinates before I could act and against my decision in the Glavis case before the whole evidence on which it was based could be considered.

"I should be glad to regard what has happened only as a personal reflection, so that I could pass it over and take no official cognizance of it. But other and higher considerations must govern me. When the people of the United States elected me president, they placed me in an office of the highest dignity and charged me with the duty of maintaining that dignity and proper respect for the office on the part of my subordinates. Moreover, if I were to pass over this matter in silence, it would be most demoralizing to the discipline of the executive branch of the government.

"By your own conduct you have destroyed your usefulness as a helpful subordinate of the government, and it therefore now becomes my duty to direct the secretary of agriculture to remove you from your office as the forester. Very sincerely yours,

"WILLIAM H. TAFT."

"Hon. Gifford Pinchot, Forester."

SON OF NIGHT WATCHMAN KILLS TWO SAFE ROBBERS.
Tallahassee, Fla., Jan. 8.—Paul Santa, seventeen years old, son of the night watchman, "subbing" for his father, discovered two roguesmen "looting" the safe last night, and killed both with two shots. The boy was slightly wounded by the robbers before he returned their fire.

Married Him to Save Him.

Denver, Jan. 8.—Frederick Gobel is dying of a bullet wound inflicted by a posse this morning. His wife's tongue was lacerated, which she says was the result of her husband's attempt to cut it out several days ago. He attacked her yesterday again, because she fled out for divorce. She says she married him at Los Angeles in 1908 to have him from the penitentiary after he was convicted of stealing some of her property.

A Small investment in a pair of Rubbers and Gum Boots Will Save a Doctor's bill.

Try a pair of Rock's New Stock Rubbers.



HENDERSON MANAGER THINKS SHOW IS O. K.

Carney and Goodman, managers of the Kentucky theater, received the following telegram from John Doe Collins, manager of the Park theater, Henderson, concerning "The Girl From Rector's": Absolutely O. K. You can guarantee it."

Mayor Smith will have police in the auditorium to stop the show, if anything vulgar or indecent is perpetrated.

The Owensboro Inquirer says:

The Glavis-Rector's case as presented in Owensboro Thursday night seems to have created various impressions. Those who went expecting the extreme in vulgarity say that it "might have been worse." Those who went without knowing what they were in for, insist that "it should have been better." The staging and costuming were above the average and the roles were in most instances exceptionally well handled, but the dialogue, the suggestive hints, the drunken leers, the direction always taken by masculine eyes on the stage, the fact that each player had his or her illegal affinity, and the final departure in couples for the various rooms of a road house, were rather too suggestive for the modest or the believer in the rights of women and children at opera houses.

The Messenger said:

"The Girl From Rector's" filled the bill at the Grand last night in more ways than one. The company was one of unusual merit, and served a better audience than was present. If, however, the audience was limited in number, it was assuredly unlimited and unrestrained in its applause.

The fact that this show has received a great deal of adverse criticism throughout the country on account of it being "racy," was the cause of keeping many theater lovers from attending, but the show, viewed from a moral standpoint, was not one whit worse than many shows which escape altogether the criticism of press and public.

It is safe to make the assertion that those who attended the show were not shocked so much as they expected to be, and those who were not expecting anything unusually shocking to be presented, were thoroughly satisfied and were appreciative auditors.



Putting Him Wise.
He—That jolly Miss Smith is a girl after my own heart.
She—If you think that is all she is after, you are foolish.

Do Dangle.
"Please, your Satanic Majesty," begged a lost soul who was fishing from the banks of a boiling lake, "can't I try my luck somewhere else? I've been fishing from this damned place for the last hundred years and haven't had a bite yet."

"That's the hell of it," exclaimed his Satanic Majesty.—Everybody's Magazine.

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As you do your wife,
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As you do your life,
If you wish existence
To seem a dream,
Buy them a bottle of

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WANT ADS.

SLEIGH—For sale. G. H. Sexton, Phone 401.

MOVING and general hauling. New phone 1415.

EIGHT horse motor for sale cheap at The Sun office.

FOR SALE—Stove and heating wood. Old Phone 437.

FOUND—At Barksdale Bros. Co., picture frames of all kinds.

FOR SALE—Full blooded rat terrier. Can be seen at 918 Clay.

FOR RENT—Apartment, Hecht flats, 511 Adams.

FOR RENT—5-room cottage with bath. Old phone 1292.

POSITION wanted by girl. Address M. W., care Sun.

HAIR GOODS—Made to order. Louvenia Miller. Old phone 374-a.

FOR SALE—Gentle mare. Apply 624 Willie street.

WANTED—To rent a piano. Call 2472 old phone.

HAIR WORK—Phone 2114. Lillian Robinson.

\$175.00 buys stylish horse, carriage, runabout, 2 sets harness. Old phone 2661. Bargain.

FOR RENT—Nice office; steam heat, in the Register building. U. S. Realty Co., Fraternity building.

WANTED—You to see the best line of oval frames in Paducah. Barksdale Bros. Co.

FOR RENT—Cottage, 5 rooms and bath, 502 North Seventh street. U. S. Realty Co. Both phones 851.

FOR RENT—Six room house 526 Jefferson. Apply Dr. Blythe, 525 1/2 Broadway.

AN eight-horse motor to exchange for a one or two-horse motor. The Sun.

FOR SALE—One 30x3 and one 30x3 1/2 inch inner automobile tire, Diamond product, at The Sun office.

FOR RENT—second floor apartment San Souci apartments. Apply W. E. Cochran.

WANTED—To buy furniture and stoves. O. W. Baugh, 505 South Third. New phone 901.

WANTED—Position as house girl with room on place. Can give reference. Address R. A., care Sun.

WANTED—To buy small cheap place that rents well. \$450 cash. Address Renter, care Sun.

FOR SALE—Real cheap, buggies and wagons. Sexton Sign Works, 16th and Madison. Both phones 401.

FOR RENT—Room with steam heat and all modern conveniences, 502 Washington street.

FOR RENT—Five room cottage corner Sixth and Norton. Phone 1002.

CLOTHING cleaned by Dalton is always satisfactory. Phone 685. Dalton does the best dyeing in the city.

FOR SALE—Good horse, cheap; 16 hands high, 10 years old. Phone 218 or call at 918 Clay.

F. C. NICKLES has removed his shoe shop on Kentucky avenue, near city hall and will be glad to have his customers call.

WANTED—Six salesladies and four salesmen. Steady position, good salary. Call immediately, Newman's store, 308 Broadway.

\$700.00 player piano for sale by party leaving the city. Perfect, almost new \$300 cash. Marietta Bixel, general delivery.

FOR RENT—To gentlemen; very desirable front room, modern, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 524 Madison street.

FOR RENT—19th and Harrison, two stone houses, four rooms each, with bath tub. S. E. Foreman, 134 North Fifth. Old phone 456.

FURNISHED rooms with fire, electric lights, hot bath and phone; \$8, \$10 and \$12 per month. Mrs. Woolfolk, 403 Washington street.

FREE OF CHARGE—All White sewing machines adjusted free. Co charge at F. N. Gardner, Jr., Co Elther phone 356.

WE WASH lace curtains very carefully. Get them cleaner and whiter than you could at home. Star Laundry. Phone 200.

WANT to do your watch and jewelry repairing. All work first class. W. N. Warren, jeweler, 403 Broadway.

YOUR LACE curtains need cleaning. You will make no mistake in sending them to the Star Laundry Phone 200.

WANTED—To furnish your umbrella with a new cover or handle. W. N. Warren, jeweler, 403 Broadway.

WANTED—We put new covers on umbrellas whole you wait. Large stock of umbrellas. Eye-See Jewelry Co., 315 Broadway.

WANTED—You to get our proposition. We sell diamonds on easy payments. Eye-See Jewelry Co., 315 Broadway.

S. H. HORTEN, the tailor. Cleaning, pressing, dyeing and repairing neatly done. Ladies' skirts and suits a specialty. 121 South Ninth. Old phone 338-a.

FOR RENT—A six room cottage, with modern conveniences, conveniently arranged for two small families. 333 N. 7th St. Apply Dr. J. G. Brooks, or residence, 317 N. 7th St.

REMOVAL NOTICE—Charles Bridges has moved his barber shop from Second and Washington to Third and Kentucky avenue, where he has a first-class shop with three good barbers. Hair cut 15 cents, shave 10 cents.

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WANTED—Young lady bookkeeper, experienced preferred. Address in own hand writing. X. Y., care Sun.

NEEDLES and repairs for all makes of sewing machines at F. N. Gardner, Jr., Co. 114-116 South Third street.

ILLINOIS Coal and Feed company, 16th and Tennessee streets, wants your order for feed and coal. Quality and weights guaranteed. Phones 285.

STAYED—Black shaggy collie, with white ring around neck, white spot on face and white feet. Anyone having the dog in possession will be prosecuted if not returned to Geo. Robertson, Third and Harrison.

WE STARCH lace curtains. Just the degree of stiffness that makes them hang nicely, and dry them up after frames that make the square, and stretch them smooth and even. Star Laundry. Phone 200.

LADIES' CLOTHES—Best cleaned, repaired or dyed by our process. All dust and spots removed; garments delivered in covered wagon and promptly. Harry Dalton, phone 686-R.

WANTED—Salesmen of ability and neat appearance to call on all merchants in their territory; elegant sideline, convenient to carry; good commissions; prompt remittance. Belmont Mfg. Co., Cincinnati, O.

ONE OF THE BEST farms in McCracken county for sale cheap on reasonable terms; 300 acres, near town, gravel road, over two-thirds under cultivation. Address A., care Sun.

WANTED—Railway mail clerks and custom house employees. Spring examinations everywhere. Over 2,000 appointments during 1910. Commencement salary \$300. Rapid advancement. Short hours. Steady work. Common education sufficient. Candidates prepared free. Write immediately for schedule. Franklin Institute, Dept. 111-J, Rochester, N. Y.

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Beautiful species, fresh daily. G. R. Noble. Phone 885 ring 2.

BODY OF JOHN MCCANN WILL ARRIVE TUESDAY.

The body of John McCann, who died in El Paso this week, is expected to arrive early next Tuesday morning, and it will be taken to the residence of his mother, Mrs. Sallie McCann, and brother, W. H. McCann, 1121 Madison street, until the funeral and burial. His brother, R. H. McCann, and son, Dorris McCann, of St. Louis, will arrive tonight to remain until the funeral.

EIGHTEEN GOOD REASONS FOR STEALING THE COAL.

Anderson, Ind., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Maggie Stroud, mother of eighteen children, was bonded over to the circuit court, charged with stealing coal from the railway cars to keep the family from freezing this arctic weather. She says her family is so large, her husband is unable to provide, and she was trying to help keep the coal bills down.

The Human Mole.

New York, Jan. 8.—Police believe Isaac Finkelshtein, "Human Mole," had confederates in attempt to rob the jewelry store via the tunnel. Workmen digging in search of the confederates' body, which an anonymous letter says he found in the tunnel. Finkelshtein's body was found, laid last night, eleven feet below the surface. A frail pine box lined the narrow tunnel and collapsed about him.

Refugees in Peril.

San Antonio, Jan. 8.—A jury in the federal court found Jose Raugler guilty of violating the neutrality laws by participating in the battle of Las Vacas in 1906, when a number of Mexicans were killed by revolutionists. Jose Raugler will pronounce sentence in a few days. The Political Refugees will appeal in no effort to get Raugler from going to prison or to Mexico.

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From start to finish, our big Fire Sale of Damaged Wholesale Clothing Stock has been the marvel of our patrons and the despair of other clothiers. But, remarkable as has been our success, it did not clean up the immense stock which had to be sold—FOUR FLOORS FULL OF THE FINEST CLOTHES IN THE LAND! We're at the last ditch now, however, and simply MUST clean up. In two short weeks we will have exhausted the last resource for holding off delivery of our spring wholesale stocks from our New York factory and the new goods will pour in on us in an overwhelming stream. That's why we have determined to make these two weeks the most notable in Paducah's clothing history. That's why the balance of the goods will be buried in a perfect avalanche of sacrifice. You know the former low prices; then read THESE! They will ASTOUND you! This is your last chance.

This Sale Positively Closes Saturday, January 22nd

ODD COATS
100 men's odd coats, fire damaged, worth originally \$1.50, fire sale price **10c**

175 men's and young men's odd coats less damaged, would retail from \$2.00 to \$3.00; fire sale price **25c**

80 men's and young men's odd coats, soiled and damaged, retail everywhere from \$2.50 to \$5.00; fire sale price **75c**

95 men's odd coats, very slightly damaged, in black and fancy patterns, line retail sellers \$3.00 to \$6.50; fire sale price **\$1.50**

100 children's odd coats, in double-breasted and fancy styles, fire damaged, worth up to \$3.50; fire sale price 3c, 10c and **25c**

50 children's odd coats, water damaged, fire sale price **\$1.00**

VESTS
A lot of damaged wool vests, worth up to \$2.00; fire sale price 2c, 5c and **5c**

One lot damaged woolen vests, worth up to \$2.50; fire sale price **10c**

One lot woolen vests, worth up to \$3.00; fire sale price **25c**

Fancy dress vests, slightly soiled, worth up to \$7.00; fire sale prices 25c, 50c, 80c and **\$1**

MEN'S PANTS
800 pairs men's pants, damaged by fire, retail prices \$1.50 to \$7.50; fire sale price **10c**

650 pairs men's pants, scorched, retail price \$1.50 to \$7.50; fire sale price **25c**

750 pairs men's pants, water damaged, retail price \$1.50 to \$7.50; fire sale prices 45c, 65c, 95c and **\$1.45**

Men's corduroy pants, fire damaged, retail prices up to \$3.00; fire sale prices 25c and **45c**

Men's corduroy pants, smoke damaged, retail prices \$1.50 to \$2.00; fire sale prices 75c, 95c, and **\$1.15**

Men's corduroy pants, extra quality, some college styles, peg-tops and turn up bottoms, retail prices \$3.50 to \$4.00; fire sale prices **\$1.95**

YOUNG MEN'S PANTS
150 pairs, fire damaged, retail prices \$1.00 to \$2.00; fire sale **10c**

100 pairs smoke and water damaged, retail prices \$1.00 to \$2.00; fire sale price **25c**

KNEE PANTS
Knee pants, fire damaged, retail prices 25c and 50c; fire sale price 1c, 2c and **5c**

Knee pants, scorched, retail price 50c; fire sale prices 10c, 15c, and **24c**

Knee pants, water damaged, retail price 50c; fire sale price **33c**

Knee pants, damage hardly noticeable, retail prices \$1.00 to \$1.50; fire sale prices 35c to **69c**

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS
A lot of men's and young men's suits, fire damaged, fire sale prices, 45c, 75c, 95c, and **\$1.25**

Another lot of suits, less damaged, fire sale price **\$1.49**

SMOKE DAMAGED SUITS

For men and young men in splendid cassimeres and worsteds, nicely tailored in brown and grey stripes, also black. Pants made with belt straps and side buckles, coat with or without cuffs. Finest values, worth up to \$10.00; fire sale price **\$2.49**

Men's and young men's suits, hardly noticeable smoke damaged, a line array of stylish suits that are made right and are up to the minute in style, shades and patterns. Suits you will be astonished to see in this lot at the price, as the damage can only be detected upon close inspection. Actually worth at retail up to \$12.50; fire sale prices **\$4.49**

Another lot of men's and young men's suits, slightly smoke damaged, strictly all wool, worsteds of the noblest goods, serge lined, with fancy cuffs and lapels, pants side straps, such as are usually found in these high-priced goods. Closest scrutiny necessary to detect damage. Worth retail up to \$20.00; fire sale price \$2.95 and **\$6.98**

Suits for men and young men, slightly water damaged, high grade suits in fancy patterns, consisting of splendid worsteds, cassimeres, chevrons and ribbons. Extraordinary creations in high class tailoring. Made with all the snap that can be put into garments. Retail selling prices \$20.00 to \$25.00; fire sale prices \$7.49 to **\$8.65**

Black and blue suits, worsteds, granite, chevrons, serges, single and double breasted. Most of them made with high grade silk venetian linings. Elegantly tailored. Soiled and slightly smoke damaged. You would consider the retail prices cheap at from \$10.00 to \$22.50; fire sale prices \$2.98 **\$6.95**

All our highest grade suits, nearly absolutely perfect goods in this lot. In some instances sleeve linings water damaged. This lot comprises the very best of imported and domestic woolsens, fabrics that will wear for years and hold their color. All hand tailored and made in the latest fashions. The closest scrutiny necessary to detect slight damage. Some perfect suits in this lot. Regular retail price \$25.00 to \$30.00; fire sale price **\$9.98**

Boys' suits straight and knickerbocker pants, burned and damaged. Retail price \$1.50; fire sale price **18c**

Boys' suits, straight and knickerbocker pants, burned and damaged. Retail price up to \$6.00; fire sale price **45c**

Boys' suits, straight and knickerbocker pants, damaged. Retail price \$2.50 to \$7.50; fire sale price, 55c to **98c**

Boys' suits, knickerbocker pants, scorched. Retail price \$5.00 to \$8.50; fire sale price \$1.00 **\$1.98**

Boys' suits, knickerbocker pants, slight damage hardly noticeable. Retail price \$4.00 to \$9.00; fire sale price \$1.00 to **\$2.49**

A big lot of children's fancy novelty suits, more or less damaged. Retail prices, \$2.50 to \$7.50; fire sale prices 18c, 39c, 65c and **89c**

All the balance of our children's novelty suits to worsteds, cassimeres, serges, in all the late makes and shapes of Russian blouses, hunters, Peter Pan, Japa and Dowsys. Some very slightly damaged. A big lot not even soiled. Would retail at \$3.50 to \$8.50; fire sale price, 85c to **\$1.98**

OVERCOATS

Men's, young men's and boys' box overcoats, soiled and damaged. Retail price \$4.50; fire sale price **\$1.49**

Men's and young men's overcoats, some with automobile collars, finest cassimeres and chevrons, long coats, serge lined, silk sleeve linings. Collars slightly damaged but hardly noticeable. Worth retail \$15.00 and \$18.00; fire sale price **\$4.89**

Blue, black and brown, heavier overcoats that would retail for \$7.50; fire sale price **\$2.48**

Five Kersey and Cheviot overcoats, 44 to 50 inches long. Elegantly trimmed, some with satin linings. Would retail for \$12.50 to \$15.00; fire sale price **\$4.98**

Men's and young men's overcoats, excellently tailored Kerseys and chevrons in medium and semi-medium lengths, well made. Some smoke damaged, a few slightly water damaged on sleeve linings and some of them perfect. Retail prices \$18.00 to \$20.00; fire sale prices \$6.85 and **\$6.85**

HIGHEST GRADE OVERCOATS.

Plain and automobile collars, nobby patterns, made in swell designs, box backs semi-form fitting and regular shapes. The highest creations of modern overcoats, coats that will appeal to the noblest dressers. Slightly water damaged, some smoke damaged and a great many perfect coats in this lot. Retail prices \$12.50 and \$25.00; fire sale prices \$5.98 to **\$9.48**

CHILDREN'S OVERCOATS

Fire and smoke damaged. Retail prices \$2.00 and \$5.00; fire sale price as low as **15c**

CRAVANETTE RAIN COATS

For men and young men. Priestly proof raincoats. Damaged by fire. Worth retail \$10.00 and \$12.50; fire sale price **\$1**

Men's and young men's rain proofed cravanette coats in striped worsteds, damage on these coats so slight it can hardly be noticed. Retail price \$8.50; fire sale price **\$3.76**

Cravanette coats for men, rain proofed, in stripes and plain black. Sleeve linings slightly damaged. Retail prices \$10 and \$12.50; fire sale price **\$4.98**

Priestly proofed cravanettes for men and young men. Excellent fabrics, smart styles. Retail prices \$18.00, \$20.00 and \$25.00; fire and smoke damaged. Fire sale price **\$5.98**

Cravanette coats for men and young men. Highest grade of Priestly proofed coats, in the very latest cloths, nobby patterns, with plain collars, automobile collars or the new convertible collar, the latter can be worn either as a regular or automobile coat and is the smartest style ever invented. Retail prices \$25.00 to \$30.00; fire sale price **\$6.98**

We need make no further comment; the prices speak for themselves. Take advantage of them and save money; do not and you will do yourself and family irreparable injustice.

No Credit Given, No Goods Sent on Approval---Strictly Cash!

Take advantage of this sale; lay in supplies for a year or more and you will never regret it, as we save you 75c to 90c on the dollar.

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RIVER NEWS

River Stages.		
Pittsburgh	11.0	2.3 rise
Cincinnati	25.7	7.1 rise
Louisville	9.9	5.0 rise
Evansville	6.7	1.7 rise
Mt. Vernon—frozen.	4.6	1.0 rise
Mt. Carmel—frozen.		
Nashville—mild.		
Chattanooga	11.6	5.6 rise
Florence	6.3	5.3 rise
Johnsonville	9.9	5.0 rise
Calro	11.6	0.4 rise
St. Louis	20.6	0.6 fall
Paducah	6.0	0.4 rise
Burnside	34.0	25.0 rise
Carthage	22.0	9.0 rise

River Forecast.
The river at Paducah will rise slowly during the next 12 hours.

River and Weather.
Gage at 7 a. m. read 6 feet. Ind-

icating a rise of four-tenths of a foot since yesterday morning. Weather clear and cold and business dull.

Mariners' Gossip.

The Condor departed this morning for Joppa with a tow of ties brought in by the W. T. Hardison last night. The Hardison will return to the Tennessee river after another tow.

From Metropolis the George Cowling arrived with a light trip.

The Bettle Owen is running between here and Brookport today.

Both the Dick Fowler and Ohio have given up hopes of navigating to an ice filled river. They are tied up below the wharfbort.

The river at Livingston Point is said to be frozen over as far as the eye can be seen.

The Kentucky is receiving freight at the wharfbort and departs about 7 o'clock this evening for Riverport.

Harry Robinson, clerk on the Kentucky, returned last night from a two-

weeks' visit in Birdsville and reported for duty today.

The Clyde is due Monday from Waterloo, Ala. She makes a return trip next Wednesday.

Ice is still coming down the river in immense sheets. A blockade here is not feared, however.

Little business is going on at the wharfbort. Al Rittenhouse called at the office today and was welcomed as a visitor.

Rivermen express themselves that a big rise is coming within the next two months. Snow and ice all along the Ohio will swell the stream when it begins to melt and steamboatmen should have no fear of low water.

For the first time in five years the Mississippi river at St. Louis froze solidly from bank to bank yesterday afternoon. While the ice would probably have supported the weight of a man walking across, none was hardy enough to attempt it yesterday. With a continuation of the cold weather today, however, there will

be no danger in walking across, according to old rivermen.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Capt. Pell, assistant superintendent of the canal, said last night that by next Monday he expects to see at least ten feet of water in the canal.

Capt. Pell said that the rise will force out the gorge that is between here and Cincinnati and that it is likely that river property will suffer some damage. However, the forty pieces of water craft that are tied up in the canal are out of danger. The river will continue to rise here and the gorge above Louisville is due to break Sunday.

Wharfmaster Dugan kept a force of men busy clearing the snow off the levee so that teams could make their way to the coal heaps. The towboats Fukon and Transit were busy keeping the channel clear of ice.

Among the tow boats on route down the river with loads of coal are: Bow, ten barges; Henry Lourey, twelve barges; Volage, ten barges, and Charles

Clark, eight barges. A number of the craft mentioned above have a few coal boats in their tows. There will be very little coal to come from the Kanawha district, as the river has been frozen over.—Courier Journal, Louisville.

A Pittsburgh special says: At 8 o'clock last night it was estimated that there was not less than 5,000,000 bushels of coal floating down the Ohio river behind the ice, all within 100 miles of Pittsburgh. All danger of a flood at Pittsburgh at this time passed with last night, though there were several times during the night when ice gorges dangerously in the Allegheny river above Pittsburgh.

Though watchfulness by the river men, also a small army sent out by the Pittsburgh, the gorges were all quickly looted, told the police that many bushels of coal are missing and asked the department's aid in apprehending the thief. Several petty coal thefts have been reported since the cold spell began and many residents have

very hard and thick. It may make found their coal bins short of fuel.

trouble in the future, but not at this rise. The fleets now going down the Ohio are keeping, for the most part, a little behind the heavy ice, and as last night's weather was clear until very late good time was made. The water on the Pittsburgh wharf and dropped to 11 feet last evening. It is expected that the rise will stay in the rivers for at least one week, allowing the towboats, which have been on their way up with empties, to get in.

Coal Thefts Reported.

The police are looking for a thief who has been operating at the Central Coal and Iron company's yards, at Ninth and Campbell streets. Mr. Gardner Gilbert, in charge of the Pittsburgh, the gorges were all quickly looted, told the police that many bushels of coal are missing and asked the department's aid in apprehending the thief. Several petty coal thefts have been reported since the cold spell began and many residents have

trouble in the future, but not at this rise. The fleets now going down the Ohio are keeping, for the most part, a little behind the heavy ice, and as last night's weather was clear until very late good time was made. The water on the Pittsburgh wharf and dropped to 11 feet last evening. It is expected that the rise will stay in the rivers for at least one week, allowing the towboats, which have been on their way up with empties, to get in.

Magistrates Make Inspection.

Today the county magistrates made an inspection of the court house and jail, so as to become familiar with the condition of the county's property. In a short while an inspection of the county prison house will be made. The court this afternoon convened, signed the minutes and adjourned until the regular February meeting.

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